

SOFT COAL PRODUCTION IS
OFF 1,624,000 TONS IN WEEK

Only 9,344,000 tons of soft coal were mined during the week ending November 5, being a decrease of 1,624,000 tons, or 15 per cent, from the production of the previous week.

Observance of a holiday, reaction in demand following the settlement of the railroad controversy and mine strikes in various fields over the proposed discontinuance of the "check-off" were the factors that entered into the decrease.

MAN WORKS 20 YEARS
TO COMPLETE CHURCH

COLUSA, Cal., Nov. 14.—Jacob, in Biblical days, labored seven years for the hand of Rachel.

George Barrett, a bank clerk, is just completing twenty years of toil in building an Episcopal church for his community.

He obtained the land from a local philanthropist, collected funds almost single-handed, drew the plans, prepared the specifications, obtained the estimates, and worked as a laborer on the building in his spare moments.

REVENUES FROM CROWN
LANDS BRING IN MILLIONS

TORONTO, Nov. 14.—The province of Ontario reports that the revenue from crown lands this year will be approximately \$4,000,000, or an increase of nearly 100 per cent during the last two years.

Premier Taschereau, of Quebec, is an authority for the statement that the revenue of that province from the liquor trade this year will probably be \$4,000,000.

Chronological History
Of Arms Conference

July 10, 1921—President Harding announces that Great Britain, France, Italy and Japan have been approached informally to ascertain if they would participate in a conference on limitation of armament and Far Eastern problems, to be held in Washington, China also participate in the Far Eastern discussions.

July 23—Department of State announces that all the nations approached had expressed willingness to participate in conference on limitation of armament, but that Japan desired to be advised as to scope of Far Eastern discussions.

Secretary of State Hughes informs Japanese government that he is willing the agenda for the conference shall be agreed upon in mutual exchanges before the conference meets.

July 27—Japan in memorandum indicates willingness to participate in Far Eastern discussion, but suggests that problems "of sole concern to certain particular powers or such matters that may be regarded as accomplished facts" should be excluded from the agenda.

August 11—Secretary Hughes on behalf of President Harding sends formal invitation to Great Britain, France, Italy and Japan to participate in conference on limitation of armament, in connection with which Pacific and Far Eastern questions also will be discussed, to be held in Washington, November 11, 1921.

August 11—Secretary Hughes also sends invitation to China to participate in discussion of Pacific and Far Eastern problems in connection with the conference on limitation of armament.

August 11—President Harding announces that Charles Evans Hughes, Secretary of State, will head the American delegation to the conference.

August 15—Premier Briand of France notifies United States of the acceptance of France, and states that he will in person head the French delegation.

August 16—President Harding announces that Senator Henry Cabot Lodge will be a member of the American delegation.

August 18—China accepts invitation in lengthy note, asking that China be received in conference on basis of equality.

August 22—Lord Curzon, British foreign minister, accepts invitation in name of Great Britain, and expresses sympathy of British people for the aims of the conference.

August 24—Japan accepts formal invitation; praises President Harding's initiative; asserts Japan's interest in peace and limitation of armament, but again expresses hope that agenda will be arranged in accordance with Japan's suggestions in their note of July 27.

August 26—Senor Don Beltran Mathieu, ambassador of Chile to the United States and vice president governing board of Pan-American Union, tenders Pan-American Union building to Secretary Hughes as place for holding the conference.

September 1—Italy unconditionally accepts formal invitation to the conference.

September 9—President Harding announces that American main delegation will consist of Secretary Hughes, Senator Lodge, Elihu Root and Senator Oscar Underwood.

September 19—Department of State announces that requests of so-called Far Eastern republics for representation at conference will not be granted. No formal reply made because Far Eastern republic not recognized by United States, but American minister at Peking instructed to say informally that "in the absence of a single recognized Russian government the protection of legitimate Russian interests must devolve as a moral trusteeship upon the whole conference."

September 21—Tentative agenda for the conference is made public by the State Department.

September 29—Personnel of main Japanese delegation to the conference is announced.

September 30—Staff of Japanese delegation announced.

October 4—Formal invitation sent to Belgium, the Netherlands and Portugal to participate in Pacific and Far Eastern discussions in connection with conference on limitation of armament.

October 12—Portugal accepts invitation.

October 13—Department of State officially informed that Hon. George Foster Pearce will represent Australia on main British delegation.

October 15—French embassy notifies State Department French delegation will consist of Premier Briand, Viviani, Sarraut and Ambassador Jusserand.

October 17—The Netherlands accept formal invitation to participate in Far Eastern discussions.

October 21—China informs State Department of personnel of Chinese delegation.

October 25—The Netherlands furnishes State Department tentative list of delegates.

October 27—Italy informs State Department of personnel of Italian delegation.

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RUSH RED CROSS SUPPLIES
FOR STRICKEN RUSSIANS

An acute shortage of medical supplies is existent in famine-stricken, disease-ravaged provinces of Soviet Russia, and the American Red Cross is shipping increased quantities of medical supplies to alleviate the sufferings of tens of thousands there. It was announced today by Red Cross headquarters here.

Typhus, malaria and typhoid fever are widely prevalent in Russia, it was stated, and it is feared that the coming of winter, with its hardships, will result in widespread and severe epidemics.

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\$250,000,000 EXTENSIONS
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